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4	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5	FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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7	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, NO CR-04-125 - VRW
8	Plaintiff, ORDER
9	v
10	RELIANT ENERGY SERVICES, INC et al,
11	Defendants.
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14	Not later than December 28, 2006, the parties are
15	directed to serve and file a letter not exceeding two pages

describing the present status of trial preparation. alternative, the parties may report to the court for a status conference not later than January 19, 2007. The parties may arrange a status conference date with the court's deputy, Cora Delfin, who may be reached at (415) 522-2039.

The parties are reminded of the firm trial date herein of March 12, 2007.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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VAUGHN R WALKER

United States District Chief Judge